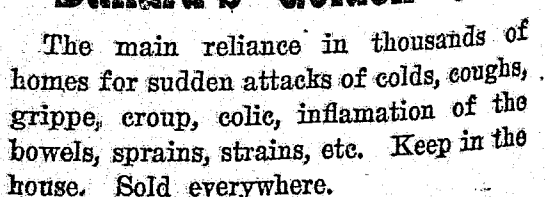


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All town orders out stand returned this week to the F. Bickford as the fiscal year 31st.

The People Must be Served

To give just as good service as is humanly possible has always been one of Central Maine Power Company's ideals.

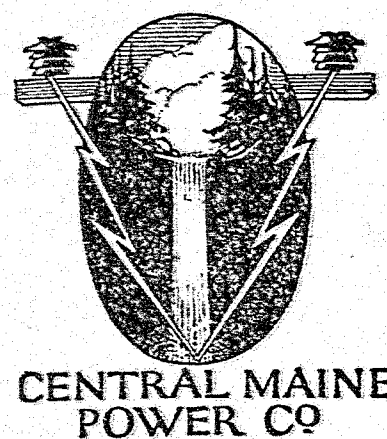
Perhaps it is because of the service we have given old customers, some of them for over a fifth of a century, that we are constantly besieged by calls for more line extensions to supply new customers.

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People who supply this capital through the purchase of Central Maine Power Company 7 per cent. Preferred Stock, not only help to extend the blessings of good electrical service to people now without it, but they also secure for themselves an investment that has paid dividends for more than 18 years—an investment owned by over 7,000 Maine people.

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AUGUSTA, MAINE.

STATE OF MAINE

To all persons interested in either of the Estates hereinafter named:

At a Probate Court, held at Paris, in and for the County of Oxford, on the third Tuesday of December, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one. The following matters having been presented for the said Court's consideration hereinafter indicated, it is hereby ORDERED:

That notice thereof be given to all persons interested by causing a copy of this order to be published three weeks successively in the Norway Advertiser, a newspaper published at Norway, in said County, that they may appear at a Probate Court to be held at said Paris, on the third Tuesday of January, A. D. 1922, at 9 o'clock in the forenoon, and be heard thereon if they see cause.

MARGARET SANDS, late of Fryeburg, deceased; petition that Edward E. Hastings or some other suitable person be appointed as administrator of the estate of said deceased presented by Amariah Sands, widow.

JULIA E. and CHARLES F. CUMMINGS of Norway, minor wards; second accounts presented for allowance by Edwin S. Cummings, Albert J. Stearns, George H. Gullman and Henry B. Foster, executors of the will of Inez S. Cummings, former guardian.

JENNIE JACKSON, late of Norway, deceased; first and final account presented for allowance by George Kilegore, administrator.

MARY J. HASTINGS late of Fryeburg, deceased; first account presented for allowance by Alice C. Hastings and Edward E. Hastings, executors.

WITNESSES: Aretas E. Stearns, Judge of said Court at Paris, this third Tuesday of December in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one.

ALBERT D. PARK, Register.

NOTICE: The subscriber hereby gives notice that he has been duly appointed executor of the will of EMILY F. STONE late of Fryeburg in the County of Oxford, deceased, without bond. All persons having demands against the estate of said deceased are desired to present the same for settlement and all indebted thereto are requested to make payment immediately.

CLARENCE N. STONE, Box No. 1, Westley Hills, Mass. December 20, 1921.

NOTICE: The subscriber hereby gives notice that he has been duly appointed administrator of the estate of MARY D. EVANS late of Fryeburg in the County of Oxford, deceased, without bond. All persons having demands against the estate of said deceased are desired to present the same for settlement and all indebted thereto are requested to make payment immediately.

JANE C. EVANS, Fryeburg, Me. December 20, 1921.

NOTICE: The subscribers hereby give notice that they have been duly appointed administrators of the will of JOHN COLBY late of Denmark in the County of Oxford, deceased, without bond. All persons having demands against the estate of said deceased are desired to present the same for settlement and all indebted thereto are requested to make payment immediately.

IZA G. COLBY, CLARK B. BARKIN, December 20, 1921.

All town orders out standing should be returned this week to the treasurer, E. Bickford as the fiscal year ends, Dec. 31st.

Happy New Year to All

Why not start the New Year right by having new Cash Books, Ledgers, Journals, Day Books along with your 1922 Diaries and the Gem or Daily Memorandum Pads?

We are prepared to take care of all your wants and would be glad to have you look over our line.

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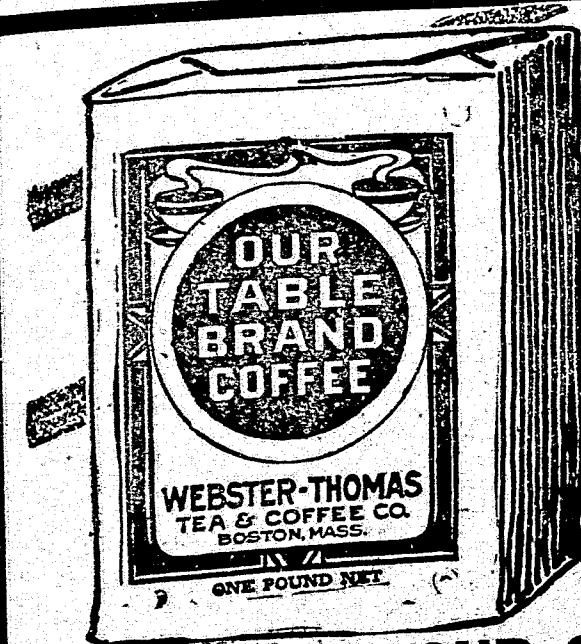
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The Popular Buy Since the Country's gone dry

AT YOUR GROCER'S

CASCO

Christmas Entertainment

The Christmas tree and entertainment were well attended at the church Saturday evening, Dec. 24th. Program:

March.....The Church's Orchestra
Singing.....Joy to the World.....All
Scripture Reading and Prayer.....Rev. Irving W. Kemp
Recitations.....Robert Perry, Josephine Durgin
Mabel Olmstead, Nora Harmon, Grace Perry
Dialogues.....Eight boys
Summer Hancock, Jr., Carroll Pickett, Chas. Durgin, Wyman Pierce, Clifford Pickett, Stephen Durgin, Mark A. Leach and Ira Durgin.

Solo.....Marjorie Mayberry
Recitations.....Ernest York, Mamie Lombard, Sumner Hancock, Eva Thorne.

Song.....Casco Village School
Organ accompaniment, Mrs. Ruby Perry.

Recitations.....Robert Perry, Josephine Durgin
Singing.....Grace Gay, Mrs. E. Wilson Baker and Isadora Bounds.

Motion Song, "Under the Stars".....Six girls
Alice Leach, Ethel Olmstead, Josephine Durgin, Ruth Pierce, Mabel Olmstead, Madeline Pickett.

Benediction.....Rev. Irving W. Kemp

Mae E. Hancock is spending her Christmas vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. O. Hancock.

Mrs. Emmaline Gay and her daughter, Alice who have been spending the winter with their sister went to Bolster's Mills Sunday to spend Christmas with her son Richard Gay.

Charles Morse who is attending school at Orono is spending his vacation with his mother, Mrs. Etta Morse.

NORTHEAST LOVELL

The past three weeks have been busy ones for your correspondent and now that Christmas is over I will try and find a few items to help fill the Advertiser. I received a card recently asking if I was sick as they had not seen my items in the Advertiser so I felt as if people enjoyed the news from our little neighborhood.

Mr. and Mrs. Otis Andrews have moved to Lawrence, Mass. for the winter.

Mrs. Anna Files has returned to Ira Heald's at Heald Lake after spending a week at East Stoneham with her children.

Mrs. H. W. Palmer had a Christmas tree at the School house at Slab City Friday afternoon. The children had a fine entertainment and the tree was well laden with gifts.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert W. Brackett have a pig and a flock of hens. Mr. Brackett recently killed a hog that weighed 265 lbs. Mrs. Clara Harriman had a hog killed that weighed 480 lbs.

Elwell Andrews is in very poor health. Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Fluman had a Christmas tree Friday evening at their home and invited Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Brown and family, Mr. and Mrs. Freeman Andrews and Mr. and Mrs. George Files and son and James Brackett. They were all present and had a lovely time.

George Eastman and family entertained relatives and friends Sunday noon for dinner.

Mrs. Ruth Chandler of the Center is not as well.

The Ladies of the Christian church had a supper, tree and entertainment at the Church Saturday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. George Files and son were Sunday visitors at Bert Brackett's at Heald's Lake.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Brown and family spent Monday at his mother's at Stoneham.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Kendall and three daughters were at their mother's Mrs. Lucy McAllister's, Sunday.

BRIDGTON

"Bridgton Suburbs"

The valley school closed Dec. 16th. A Christmas tree and entertainment was given in the evening by the school and teacher, Blanch Cole, all of whom did themselves justice. Miss Cole sang several solos. Fred Ames impersonated Santa Claus "he being about the size of a real Santa," made a great hit. A treat of candy and pop corn was served and a very jolly evening was spent by all. Miss Cole is one of our bright young ladies of the Bridgton Valley and is teaching a successful school here. She is taking vocal lessons of Mrs. Grace Cook and possesses a strong voice.

A. E. Cole and daughter Branch are stopping at W. B. Lord's, East Fryeburg, for a while.

Carl D. Lane of Auburn recently visited at Mr. and Mrs. Howard Morrison's.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Crandall of Portland spent the Christmas holidays at Mrs. Crandall's home in the valley.

One Smith who teaches school in Braintree, Mass. is having a weeks vacation, also her sister Etta of Haverhill, Mass; both spent Christmas at their parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Smith. Miss Etta is bacteriologist and office technician for a doctor in Haverhill, Mass.

Mrs. William Long and son Wilbur, who formerly lived at Conway, N. H., have purchased a small house of Bert Smith and moved it from West Bridgton to the valley. They bought a house lot of Lester Ames on the Ingalls hill road.

Minnie Taylor of Massachusetts and Miss Moran of New York spent Christmas at Owen Taylor's and are also visiting at their sister's, Mrs. Frank Storey's.

WILSON'S MILLS

Mrs. Millie Storey Linnell, with her two youngest daughters, Elva and Carolyn spent the week end with relatives in town, recently.

Wirt Lane and Roy Bragg were in town Monday, looking after the timber on the town, in the interests of the proprietors, they were guests of E. S. Bennett.

Dr. Scales of "The Balsams" veterinarian, was called to see a very sick horse belonging to A. D. Cameron, the first of the week.

Mrs. B. N. Storey is spending the holidays with her daughter, Mrs. Millie Linnell, at the lower town.

The cottage prayer meetings are still held weekly, in spite of cold weather, and bad roads, at the lower town. They met with Mrs. Lillian Ripley the past week.

Floyd Hart is spending his Christmas vacation at home with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Hart.

The good people of Magalloway Plantation sent a Christmas box of groceries weighing 80 pounds to the Rev. H. E. Seymour of Wakefield as an expression of the regard they felt for his faithful labors among them.

MASON

Mr. and Mrs. Myron Morrill have a son.

L. E. Mills of Albany was in town one day recently and purchased a horse of William Lombard.

Myron Morrill is hauling pine for Marshall Hastings of Bethel.

Eli Grover and Zenas Mills of Albany have been exchanging work doing their threshing.

Two For One Sale

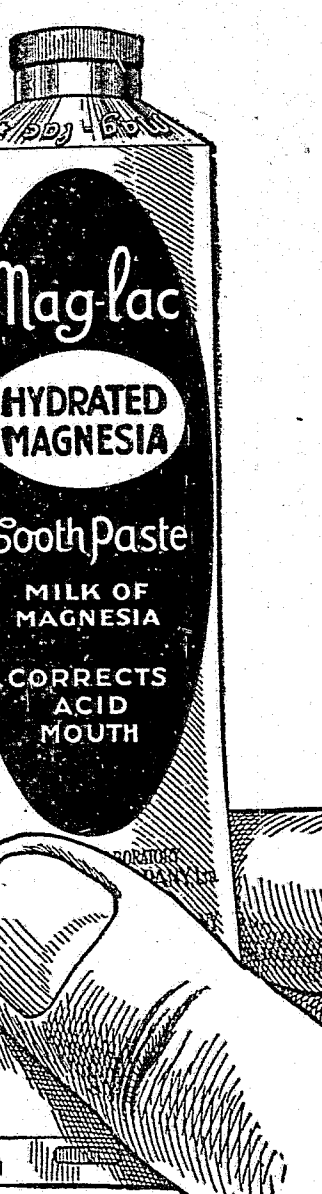
TWO TUBES "MAG-LAC" FOR THE PRICE OF ONE

Mag Lac is a highly recommended Tooth Paste—Milk of Magnesia Preparation—which corrects Acid Mouth. Price 50c per tube. To introduce this valuable article we are giving two tubes for 50c.

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NORWAY, ME.

For That Winter Morning Breakfast

"Allready" Buckwheat Flour, 2 lb. pkg.....15c
"Allready" Pancake Flour, 2 lb. pkg.....14c
2 pkgs. "Allready" Buckwheat Flour and 8 oz. bottle Golden Tree Syrup 44c
2 pkgs. "Allready" Pancake Flour and 12 oz. can Uncle John's Syrup50c

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126 Main St.,

NORWAY, ME.

Wishing You a Happy New Year

Many people will accept your "Happy New Year" in the same off-hand way as your usual "Good Morning."

Make it mean something else to those near and dear to you, a THIRTY NEW YEAR.

Start a Happy New Year and many after years for them by presenting a Savings Account on New Year's Day—a little pass-book pledge of your faith in their resolution to get ahead.

Everybody needs encouragement to save. Let your gift start them on the way. It means building character and capital for the future.

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Make the Pass-Book a Guide-book to a Happy New Year!

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When ordering the address of your paper changed please give the OLD as well as NEW.

COMES UNDER PAID MATTER
A charge is made for publishing Cards of Thanks, Resolutions of Respect, Obituary notices, and for obituaries which we are not allowed to edit. The price varies according to space used, but none published for less than \$1.00.

A charge is made for publishing lists of funeral flowers and for lists of wedding presents. The price is 50c for the first inch and 25c per inch thereafter.

Coming Events

Jan. 2—New Year's Ball, auspices K. G. E. Norway Opera House.
Jan. 3, 4, 5—Exhibition of Western Maine Poultry Association exhibition, Grange Hall, South Paris.

DROP IN HUDSON AND ESSEX CARS

"With business down to the pre-war level of labor and material costs," Mr. Chapin, president of the Hudson Motor Car Co., said. "Manufacturers are able to get back to the fundamental principles of American merchandising—basing prices to the public on volume production. Added to the steady demand that Hudson and Essex have maintained throughout the readjustment period, we have such volume of orders already booked for 1922 by our distributors and dealers in every part of the country that we are able to pass on to buyers a new mark in lowered manufacturing costs."

"Consequently, we are releasing a new 1922 price schedule whereby the cars we build will cost the user from \$100 to \$245 less than previously."

"Today we are purchasing the finest materials that America makes at a lower figure than ever before in the history of the automobile industry—a concession to which the buyer is entitled and which is made available in our new price schedule."

The reductions announced by Mr. Chapin are as follows: Hudson Phaeton \$200; seven passenger phaeton \$150; cabriolet \$200; coupe \$200; sedan \$245 and touring limousine \$200. Essex touring car \$100; coach \$150, and sedan \$100.

Evolution of Man Foreseen.

In one of his recent lectures Sir Oliver Lodge, eminent English scientist, announced that the earth would probably continue to exist for 20,000,000 years more. These are, of course, round numbers. Some scientists estimate that the earth will live for ten times this age. There have been animals of one kind and another on this planet for fully this length of time. The dinosaurs are believed to have lived through some such period. The age of man, which is probably only a few thousand years, seems the merest trifle by comparison. When we consider how man has developed during recorded history, which is less than ten thousand years, we may hope that he will evolve to an infinitely finer type in the future.—Boys' Life.

Red, White and Blue Potatoes. At Sunbury, Pa., John Buck showed his friends what luck he has had in growing red, white and blue potatoes. He explains that he planted a number of a blue variety of seed potatoes with some of a pure white variety. The breed mixed and a hybrid that plainly showed a red, white and blue skin resulted.

MARRIAGE INTENTIONS

James E. Mason of South Paris, and Eva Frances Haggard of Norway.

MARRIAGES

In Auburn, Dec. 22, John Wesley Wood and Edna Katrina Rickard of Norway.
In Norway, Dec. 23, by Rev. O. E. Barnard, Paul Franklin Hosmer and Mildred Elizabeth Noyes.

In South Paris, Dec. 24, by Rev. E. A. Morris, Albert J. Silver of Ramford and Annette L. Austin of South Paris.
In Cleveland, Ohio, Dec. 24, by Rev. Dr. Ferdinand Q. Blanchard, Thomas W. McKnight and Mrs. Mary F. Shurtliff both of South Paris.

In Norway, Dec. 17, by Rev. O. E. Barnard, Albert Dana Hamlin of Ousfield and Ethel Leona McAllister of Oxford.

BIRTHS

In Portland, Dec. 25, to the wife of Lawrence H. Denison of Norway, a daughter, Carolyn.
In Bethel, Dec. 9, to the wife of Harry Gordon, a son.

In Norway, Dec. 19, to the wife of Herman E. Woodworth, a daughter, Virginia Ivan Woodworth.

In Norway, Dec. 22, to the wife of Hampton H. McIlwain, a daughter.

DEATHS

In Oxford, Dec. 29, Mrs. Louisa Richmond, widow of Edwin F. Richmond, aged about 74 years.
In Rumford, Dec. 16, Peter Thomas, aged 71 years.

In Dixfield, Dec. 18, Albert S. Trask.
In Lewiston, Dec. 18, Mrs. Thomas Demont, aged 82 years.

In Bethel, Dec. 20, Annie Cross.
In Andover, Dec. 18, Harvey Newton, aged 79 years.

In South Paris, Dec. 22, Mrs. Laura Tribout, aged 73 years.
In Paris, Dec. 20, Catharine C. Maxim, aged 83 years.

In Oxford, Dec. 21, James M. Robinson, aged 74 years.
In West Peru, Dec. 25, Sumner Knox, aged 76 years.

Rubber Stamping Goods

We keep in stock and now have on hand for sale:

Continuous dates.....40 cents
Small bottle stamp ink.....20 cents
Small pads.....25 cents
Pound and half pound rubber stamps.....15 cents each

When wanted sent by mail, enclose enough to pay postage. 53t

ADVERTISER, Norway, Maine

NOTICE

The subscriber hereby gives notice that she has been duly appointed administratrix with the will annexed of the estate of MARY D. OLARK late of Oxford in the County of Oxford, deceased, and given bonds as the law directs. All persons having demands against the estate of said deceased are desired to present the same for settlement, and all indebted thereto are requested to make payment immediately.

SARAH S. OLYER, Athol, Mass.
September 20, 1921. 52-2

"HELAITEETUS LEUCOCEPHALUS!"

The mouthful offered above is the scientific name of the bald eagle. Most readers have probably never seen it before. But it is even more probable that they have never seen the fine bird himself. They, and their grandchildren, will see the name from time to time, for science preserves the names of species after they become extinct. But unless something sensible is done by the people of the United States no one is likely to see the bald eagle after a few years have passed.

For the bald eagle, emblem of this great republic, is rapidly being exterminated. The only reasons why he does not thrive as lustily as a chipping sparrow are found in his bigness and his lack of caution. A man with a gun shoots any big bird he sees, and afterward inquires to find out what he has killed. The bald eagle, conscious of his own rectitude, has failed to learn that it is unsafe to show himself where human bipeds may see him. Therefore, he is already extinct in most parts of the country.

Our national bird is absolutely harmless. Fish is his chosen food, and he does not eat enough to make a noticeable dent in the fish supply. He does not rob the farmer. The fanciful tales of eagles flying off with lambs or babies are altogether apocryphal. The eagle minds his own business, eats fish which he catches, occasionally gobbling a field mouse, and haughtily refrains from any interference with human affairs.

Of all the bounty laws ever enacted by guileful legislature that which placed a 50-cent prize on the "bald" heads of the eagles of Alaska is the most cruel and silly. Gradually driven out of the rest of the United States, the national bird found a refuge in Alaska and has bred in considerable numbers in that Northern paradise. In 1917 the Alaskan Legislature, in a moment when it had nothing worth while to do, passed a law which authorized the payment of half a dollar for every bald eagle slain by an Alaskan. Since that time the bounty has been paid on more than 8,000 birds. Of course, no species, however hardy and self-reliant, can long endure such terrible persecution. The bounty law should be repealed. And then, as a tardy amend for cruel injustice another law should be enacted to give the bald eagle permanent protection.

Scientific ornithologists are sounding the final warning in regard to the bald eagle. Not only in Alaska, but also throughout the United States the magnificent and admirable bird should be placed on the protected list. There is no economic excuse for his destruction, and there are sufficient sentimental reasons for his preservation. The man with a gun who shoots big birds because he considers it fun should be awakened with a jolt and informed that America's national bird is no proper object for senseless persecution.—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

SEEDS THAT MAKE JOURNEYS

One Variety That Seems to Travel Until It Finds a Spot Which Appeals to It.

The seed of the stork's-bill crawls along the ground by means of its long awn. When the weather is damp, the awn straightens out, but when the atmosphere is dry it curls up again.

By means of this movement the seed is pushed along any hard piece of ground on which it may have fallen, until it eventually reaches a soft spot in the soil.

When such a spot is reached, the awn serves a different purpose. By first curling up and then straightening out, the opposite end of the seed is driven into the ground.

The awns of a variety of oat which grows in North Africa are two inches in length and are bent in the middle. They lengthen out or bend at the joint according to the amount of moisture in the atmosphere and by this movement the oat seed is forced into the ground.—London Tit-Bit.

The Story of Hunan.

A missionary from Yochaw City, Hunan, is authority for a sad story of one of the backwaters of the Russian revolution. Three years ago Hunan was one of the most prosperous provinces in China and by rail and caravan millions of dollars worth of exports went from there to Russia. The blockade of Russia ruined most of Hunan. Factories closed. Rich merchants have become bankrupt and their sons have taken to banditry. The people of Hunan, says the missionary, do not know where to find the moral. Either, say they, revolutions are wrong, or blockading revolutions are wrong, or why should spiders spin webs and weeds grow where once busy men of Hunan bent over the earth as happy farmers should?

Artificial Weather in Hospitals.

Investigations made in several Boston hospitals by Dr. Ellsworth Huntington seem to indicate that, for surgical operations, the best condition of the atmosphere is high humidity, 80 per cent or more, directly after operations, and moderate humidity about 60 per cent at a temperature of 64 degrees Fahrenheit, a few days later. Doctor Huntington points out that, if these results are accepted, there is no reason why the optimum conditions of temperature and humidity should not be produced artificially in hospitals, causing a probable improvement of not less than 20 per cent in the results of operations.

A SUBSTITUTE.

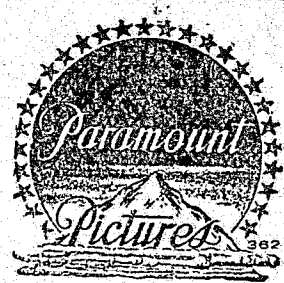
"Henry," said Mrs. Dubwaite, "the Blithersbys next door want to borrow the baby a while."

"I have no objections, but be sure they return our baby and not somebody else's."

"Why, what do you mean?"

"The last time you loaned those people a pound of butter, they sent back oleomargarine."

Birmingham Age-Herald.



Rex Theatre, Norway, Maine

A Happy, Prosperous New Year to All Our Friends and Patrons.

THURSDAY, DEC. 29

Matinee and Evening

Louise Glaum

in the big Associated Producers' production

"GREATER THAN LOVE"

Pathe Review

"The Movie Trail"

a special 2-reel feature

MONDAY, JAN. 2

At 7 and 8:30

Wanda Hawley

the beautiful Realart star, in

"THE HOUSE THAT JAZZ BUILT"

Special 2-reel Comedy

Kineto Review

FRIDAY, DEC. 30

At 7 and 8:40

Marion Davis

in one of the most beautiful photoplays ever produced

"ENCHANTMENT"

Special 2-reel comedy

"Snooky's Labor Lost"

Starring Snooky, the Monk

Burton Holmes Travelogue

SATURDAY, DEC. 31

At 2, 6:45 and 8:30

The popular star

Dustin Farnum

In "THE PRIMAL LAW"

A big Western feature

Special 2-reel comedy

"High and Dry"

Ford Educational News

Send the children to the matinee.

TUESDAY, JAN. 3

At 7 and 8:40

Elaine Hammerstein

In "Handcuffs or Kisses"

2-reel Comedy, "Oh, Buddy"

Paramount Magazine

WEDNESDAY, JAN. 4

At 7 and 8:30

The popular Western star

Hoot Gibson

In "SURE FIRE"

A tale of the big West.

"Cupid's Registered Guide"

A Holman Day story.

Hal Roach Comedy

COMING THURSDAY, JANUARY 5

Matinee and Evening.

The picture sensation of the year. Cecil B. DeMille's supreme achievement

"FOOLS' PARADISE"

with the following All Star Cast

Dorothy Dalton, Mildred Harris, Conrad Nagel, Theodore Kosloff, John Davidson, and Julia Faye

Read the Rexogram for full particulars regarding this wonderful feature. The Rex is the first theatre in Maine to show this big production.

HARDY LITTLE WOODPECKER

If you have ever tramped through the ter, you may have noticed a little slate-colored bird, with white and black markings, creeping mouse-like, head down, around a tree trunk, intently peering into each cranny and crevice of the bark. It is the white-breasted nuthatch, and, most likely, he is the only living thing in sight.

He is a hardy little fellow, and the raw, biting days that would cause many of the small wood people to remain indoors, hold no terrors for him. As the thermometer drops, his spirits seem to rise.

He is a trifle smaller than the English sparrow, but his interests are large, and winter days are short. So, such a thing as keeping still seems never to have entered his brown-capped head.

When he alights on a tree, pretty near every square inch of its bark will be critically gone over before he leaves it for another. Round and round, up and down, this way and that, head up, or head down, it makes no difference to him, he makes a minute examination of the rugged surface. He may stop long enough to lean far out from the tree, head downwards, gaze straight into your eyes with an inquisitive little air and then resume his work. He doubtsless wonders why you stand so idle, and why you don't get a tree and go to work too.

If the ground happens to be covered with snow you will notice on the surface quite a sprinkling of bits of bark, rotted wood, and lichen, piled up and loosened by this little worker, in his hunt for spiders' eggs and the larvae of insects. His food comes in such small bites (insect eggs being very minute affairs), it is little wonder that he finds no time for loafing on the job, particularly if he expects to store away sufficient fuel to keep his grate burning through the long winter night.

The claws on his hinder toes are very long and strong, so he can just hang himself up in any position, and give his undivided attention to his egg hunt. Like a fly, he runs along underneath a limb, carefully scanning the bark as he goes, tapping lightly here and there. He is as sociable and good-natured as he is businesslike. If other birds should happen to be feeding on the same tree, he doesn't notice them in the least, but keeps right on with his work, rubbing shoulders with a yellow-hammer or a woodpecker in the most democratic fashion imaginable. If his strenuous hunt brings him down the trunk, within a foot or two of your head, he shows no fear whatever, but with a friendly glance, in your direction goes on prying up the decaying wood and gapping into crevices, just as if you were a hundred miles away. He has evidently come to the conclusion that humans, as big and dangerous as they look, are not going to harm him—hence, his confiding ways. His gray coat, with its irregular trimmings of black and white, blends so well with the gray bark and the white lichen, that even a hawk would have to look sharp to find him. He sometimes spends days at a time in a single clump of trees, flitting from one to another, but none for exercise than to find better feeding grounds.

When nature was apportioning out the voices and songs among the birds, our small friend evidently was not around. It is only when he strikes a rich vein of larvae or eggs that he remarks in a casual sort of way, "Quank! quank!" And that's about all we ever hear from him. We certainly sympathize with him, during his courting days, if he tries to squeeze any of the pathos of love in so queer a sound as "quank!"

A funny thing about him is his misfit feathers; those on his back being large enough for a blue jay or a thrush.

About Thanksgiving time a pine grove is his special delight. The trees are so tall and straight, with such vast acres of bark to be surveyed; and then, up among the dark, green needles he finds the larvae of many insects.

As one time it was thought the nut-

A NEW YEAR'S GIFT To Yourself

MEN'S	MEN'S	MEN'S
\$6.50 Wool Pants, 6.00 " " 5.00 " " 5.50 " "	\$5.20 4.80 4.00 4.40	\$ 8.50 Wool Coats, 6.80 6.00 Wool Coats, 4.80 22.50 sheep lined Coats, 18.00 12.00 sheep lined Coats, 9.60
MEN'S	MEN'S	MEN'S
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171 Main Street

Our Annual January Clean-Up-Stock Sale, Now in Progress

This is clean up stock time with us, which means a great saving to you on many articles and it will pay you good interest on money invested here.

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What we have left go in at greatly reduced prices, fully 1-2 off the regular fair prices and in some cases not more than half value is asked.

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All marked down and now priced at 1-4 to 1-3 less than value and on some of them a greater reduction is made.

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Our entire good stock of well assorted plain, plaid and stripe effect dress skirts all go in at mark down prices, if in need of a skirt, this is your opportunity

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Every silk waist in stock, and we have a good assortment, all go in at the January mark-down prices. See special lot of Georgette Waists, values up to \$6.00 at only \$2.98.

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Many of them new waists just arrived, all on sale at the January clean up stock sale, prices meaning a saving of no small amount.

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Children's wool serge and gingham dresses all marked down, giving you the opportunity of buying at considerable less than value, fully 1-4 to 1-3 off.

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We think we have a splendid piece goods department for a small country store and we are offering many good piece goods bargains.

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in navy, khaki, and gray, part wool, 54 inches wide, at only 65c per yard. Value 95 cents.

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in a splendid variety of plain and fancy 27-inch and yard wide. See special 28-inch fancy outing at only 15c per yd., and special 27-inch unbleached outing at only 9c per yard.

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One lot heavy linen finish bleached cotton crash, 17 inches wide, value 15c, at only 10c per yard.

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300 yards good 40-inch unbleached cotton, nearly as good as Lockwood, at only 12 1-2c per yard.

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Small lot of a good percale in short lengths, colors medium and light, some of the longer lengths we cut for any quantity at only 15c per yard.

BATH ROBE BLANKETS

in a good assortment of colors now priced at the January clean up stock sale price.

One Price Cash Store

NORWAY,

MAINE

BACK TO THE FARM

During the years of the war, much to the detriment of this country, more young people, boys and girls, left the farms than ever before in the same period of time.

When the United States entered into the Great European War very many of our most progressive young men were forced to give up lucrative positions and respond to their country's call. Their sacrifices left numerous vacancies to be filled. Vacancies were not only to be filled but at the same time, wages soared sky-high. Then the young of both sexes rushed to the cities and filled the places left vacant. That left many farmers destitute of helpers, and a consequent shortage of crops followed. Hence, from far and near, the cry went up, "Back to the Farm."

No one can safely predict what the result of that call will be, but it is to be feared that a great majority of those young people who left the farms will never return to take their places as employees. When once accustomed to the glamor of city life it will be hard to return to the dull, every-day grind of life as lived on the farm.

Temperaments differ to such a degree that it is not safe to predict at this time, but it is to be hoped that a sufficient number of young men will tire of city life and return to their old home to relieve the present shortage of farm labor. The constant stream of young people to the cities does not always indicate a shortage of farm laborers. Farmers, as a rule have large families, and, in many cases, a sufficient number of boys are left behind to take the places of those who went away. Foreign countries are constantly sending men of no special ability to America, some of whom will, undoubtedly seek employment on farms. Their ignorance of American customs may render them less efficient than the boys who have gone away, yet some of them will fill the gap.

In our eagerness to assist the farmer and keep the old farm in the foreground, we often seem to have forgotten the young men who are trying their luck in other fields of adventure. It might be well for us to investigate their side of the dilemma and ascertain, if possible, why the city attracts the country boys. Whether they are better off in the city or on the farm is a question that depends largely on temperaments.

Higher wages and year-round employment are great inducements to energetic, money-loving young men. And there are many other inducements. Some are beneficial and are to be coveted, while others are decidedly harmful and should be shunned. Intelligent young men will grasp opportunities for rapid advancement and avoid the numerous pitfalls. But, unfortunately, far too many will fall into evil ways and take the downward path, the path that leads them to destruction.

Theatres, dancing and like amusements, amusements that are to be found only in cities, are attractions that draw many young persons from the humdrum of farm life. City comforts—clean rooms, steam heat, electric lighting, power appliances, and numerous other conveniences—induce many to quit uncomfortable homes. City opportunities for advancement—schools, libraries, museums, and other educational institutions—appeal to those educationally inclined.

Farmers' sons are usually hardy fellows, young men of brawn and endowed with a fair degree of intelligence. The manner of conducting business in cities impresses them favorably. Industrial organizations, adequate capital, equipments and business methods serve to allure them away from the unsystematic manner of doing farm work.

Very many farmer's sons were born with instincts far above the requirements of farm life. From early boyhood their tastes ran toward industrial or professional occupations. Such young men would never make good farmers. A glance at the life history of our foremost business men is sufficient to convince one that a very large proportion of them were born on a farm. Some few may have received a college education, but the greater number were educated in the little red schoolhouse on the hill.

This is the day of modern inventions, the day when old things are to be laid aside and new appliances established in their place, even on the farm. The farmer who would keep his sons and daughters at home must strive to make his home comfortable and convenient. To tell his children that he and his old wife commenced life in a shack and worked their way up to affluence will not satisfy their desire for the comforts to be had elsewhere. They want, and will have, such of life's comforts as the cities afford.

In these days of gasoline engines, it is not a difficult job to install running water and a bath tub in most any farm house. Such modern improvements cost money, but the farmer must not reckon the cost, provided the outlay will serve to keep his family with him. Neatly papered, light, airy rooms and soft beds add much to the comforts of a home and should be in every farm house. The farmer must not forget that amusements are as essential to the young of both sexes as light and heat. Without them the children soon become moody and leave home. The city provides a great variety of amusements, and there the young people are sure to go unless satisfied with home entertainments.

"Back to the Farm" is a slogan that appeals to all of us, for it is from the farm that we obtain what we eat and wear. The people of every country look to the farmer for their food and clothing. The farmer is the backbone of every country. Were it not for him, life would become extinct.—Maine Farmer.

Put It Rather Neatly.

He had been tramping for hours, and not once had he passed a place where he could refresh himself. At last, as the sun was sinking, he arrived at an old inn. When the waiter brought his order he looked at it and then at the waiter, remarking: "Is this the best you can do in the way of a sausage?"

"Why—Isn't it good?" "Good!" repeated the hungry tourist. "Oh, yes, it looks good, but the ends don't suit me."

"The ends?" said the perplexed waiter. "What's the matter with them?"

"Not far enough apart," was the reply.

The waiter took the hint.—London Tit-Bits.

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BEDS:

Brass, velvet or ribbon finish, full size.....\$19.50 to \$40.00
Wood, mahogany finish, full size.....\$30.00, \$35.00, \$38.00
Iron, white enamel and oak finish, 2" posts, all sizes.....\$12.00 to \$16.00
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Silk Floss, Roll Edge and Imperial (all sizes).....\$18.00, \$20.00, \$25.00
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OXFORD

Mrs. Louisa Richmond

After a brief illness Mrs. Louisa Richmond, widow of Edwin F. Richmond late of Boston, passed away suddenly Thursday morning, Dec. 29, at 7:30 o'clock. Her age was about 74 years.

She was born in Ballardvale, Mass., May 19, 1848, where she passed her early life. Her first marriage was with Edwin Wood of Lawrence, Mass., who passed away many years ago. On Sept. 16, 1895 she married Edwin F. Richmond of Boston and has passed the greater part of the time since then at Oxford. Mrs. Richmond was progressive in thought, and active in every measure started in the community for better conditions. She was a woman of great executive ability, and prominent in the lodge and church when important questions were to be carefully considered.

She is survived by one brother, John B. Robinson, the well known manufacturer at Oxford; two sisters, Mrs. Frances Andrews of Portland and Mrs. Felina Carr, who is residing for the present in Portland. There were no children. Funeral services will be held at the Oxford Congregational Church, Friday afternoon at 2 o'clock. The plans for the service are not complete in detail as yet, but it is expected Rev. Frederick Newport, her former pastor, will officiate.

BEARDS AS BILL COLLECTORS

Author Gives Possible Reason Why Most Publishers Prefer the Clean-Shaven Face.

Herbert Jenkins, the London publisher who occasionally tosses off a book himself, tells the story of how on one occasion when he was dining with an author and editor, the author suddenly called his attention to a man sitting alone in a far corner of the restaurant.

"That man," remarked the author, "has character. He has a publisher from whom he can never extract money. What do you think he did?" Mr. Jenkins shook a dubious head. "He went to the publisher's office and demanded payment. There was nothing doing. Without ceremony he seized the publisher by the beard and announced his intention of hanging on until he got a check. He got his money."

"That," continued the author remorselessly, as he fixed a speculative eye upon Mr. Jenkins' clean-shaven chin, "is why very few publishers wear beards."

Weeds and Hay Fever.

Interesting observations made by Dr. William Sheppegrell, president of the American Hay Fever Prevention association, are reported in a paper published by him. As a result of a weed-cutting campaign carried out in New Orleans in the spring of 1916 the number of hay fever cases was reduced to less than 50 per cent of the usual prevalence. The "cold storage" treatment of the disease, in which practically all ventilation is excluded in order to insure the absence of atmospheric pollen, is said to afford only transient relief, while the low temperature is likely to cause bronchitis. The effects of an abundant rain on hay fever patients is beneficial because the rain not only washes the pollen out of the air, but also permanently removes its toxic qualities, so that it is harmless when again blown into the air after the rain is over. This has been proved by laboratory experiments, in which pollen, after submersion in water, was inhaled by hay fever subjects without any apparent effect.

On Ogling Gift Horses.

"Sometimes it may prove advantageous to look a gift horse in the mouth," remarked an Australian contemporary recently. It was referring to the proposed gift of six airships to Australia and really meant "always look a drigible in its air-valve." These six airships are said to have been on patrol duty in the North sea; and British, according to a cable message to the commonwealth, has offered them with hangar and equipment to the overseas dominion. Australia's minister for defense, Senator Pearce, has placed the problem before the local air board for decision. As a commercial proposition some enterprising Australian company may welcome the drigibles, but as a defensive equipment they are not regarded with over-much favor.

Read the ad of R. E. Lamport for the sale of army surplus yarn in another column.

WOOD WANTED!

About 64 cords green wood for the Norway Schools, 50 cords for Oxford, 40 cords for Watford.

In your bids, state kind of wood, grade and price.

All bids will be opened Jan. 6, 1922. Any and all are subject to rejection. Send all bids at once in sealed envelopes to

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SOLUTION OF BIRD TRAVEL

Experts in bird work are using the banding method to solve a variety of interesting problems relative to the migrations and life histories of our native birds which are thus approached from the aspects of the individual birds. Some of the more important questions that can be solved by banding operations are: How fast do the individuals of any species travel on their periodic migrations; that is, how many miles per day will any one bird average during these journeys and what is the total time consumed in a trip?

Does any one flock continue in the same or is the advance made by successive flocks passing one over the other in alternate periods of rest and flight? Do individuals of any species always follow the same route, and is it identical for both spring and fall flights? Do migrating birds make the same stop-overs every year to feed? How long do birds remain in one local-

ity during the migration, the breeding, or the winter seasons? Do birds adopt the same nesting area, near site, and winter quarters during successive seasons.

For how many broods will one pair remain mated, and which bird, if not both, is attracted next year to the oldest nesting site? How far from their nests do birds forage for food; and, after the young have left the nests will the parent birds bring them to the feeding and trapping site? How long do birds live?

A minimum of 100,000 banded birds is planned, from which it is hoped that valuable information will be obtained in regard to the habits of migratory birds.

At twenty years of age, a man thinks he has mastered the world. At fifty he knows that there isn't a man on earth who has mastered the world.

A Norway man is so conceited that even marriage did not take it out of him.

NORTH PARIS

Ralph McAllister is spending his Christmas vacation with his father, H. D. McAllister.

Athea Butters is visiting at Sam Wheeler's.

Erwin Ellingwood while working around the mill was hurt badly when the smoke stack fell on him.

Beryl and Louise Silver of South Paris spent Christmas with their uncle Charles Childs.

Walter Balantine and family of Bethel spent Christmas at Will Browns.

Clarence and Leland Coffin and Earle Stevens spent the Christmas holidays with their parents, they have now returned to Orono.

Charles Childs butchered a calf last week.

Rupert and Ruth Curtis are home for their vacation from West Paris where they have been staying and going to school.

The weekly prayer meeting was held at Mrs. Olive Kimball's Tuesday night.

GIFT

MEN'S

Hose, 75c
" 50c
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MEN'S

Coats, \$20.00
" 24.00
" 28.00
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Truck with cab and body in good condition,

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NORWAY AND VICINITY

Christmas Business Greatest in Years

With hardly an exception the Norway

stores broke all records for Christmas

week this year. Shopping commenced

early, with crisp seasonable weather and

good traveling favorable to the Santa

Claus spirit. A severe cold wave in the

mid week checked the rush for one day.

Shopping was renewed with increasing

force and Saturday proved the big day.

Additional help in the stores kept the

crouds moving without confusion.

Probably never before have traders put

so much thought and work into appropri-

ate window and counter displays. Holi-

day suggestions were everywhere. Snow

necessary for an "atmosphere" was with-

out us and the spirit of the Yule-tide seemed

contagious. Throwing away money un-

wisely was not apparent, but a good

healthful system of purchasing with cash

was responsible for the banner year.

Using the local newspapers as messengers

to suburban districts, without question

attracted crowds who might have shopped

elsewhere. These messages were read

carefully as shown by the systematic

methods used in selecting gifts.

51-1

Movement for a Firemen's Relief

A grand ball for the benefit of the

proposed Norway Fireman's Relief will

be staged before spring, if the plans of

Chief Engineer Giles Frost and promi-

nent citizens mature. 51-1

The plan is to have a fund from which

any fireman injured in the performance

of duty can draw, when a little assistance

would prove acceptable. Up to now no

provisions have been made to cover ac-

cident or illness and the suggestion is

meeting with enthusiastic support espe-

cially in the business section. Action will

be taken at the meeting of the several

companies in January and a hearty co-

operation is expected from the eighty

firemen enrolled.

According to those interested in the

movement a Community ball with every

loyal citizen boosting with the price of a

ticket, seems the most logical way to build

the foundation. Get a few hundred dol-

lars drawing interest, plus a small an-

nual assessment from the members and the

fund will grow rapidly. This will become

a valuable asset to the department.

51-1

Robert Kimball of the firm Hutchins

& Kimball spent Christmas with relatives

at Waterford. Monday was a strenuous

day for him, as three wild heifers broke

from the yard and a merry chase gave

him a cross country run into Sweden.

Two were captured after a regular rough

and tumble wrestling match, but the

third "critter" eluded the posse and

sharp shooters were sent into the wilds

Tuesday. Orders were issued to capture

the wayward one dead or alive.

Tax Collector E. O. Libby: "The

books of the town close Dec. 31st and

taxes not in my hands by that date will

be listed in the town report as delin-

quents." 51-1

Willie Block of Boston University is

visiting his parents Mr. and Mrs. Lewis

Block this week. 51-1

Norway High School basket ball quin-

tet go on against the Edward Little High

school at Auburn Jan. 4th. On Friday

evening Jan. 6th the home out at the

Kents Hill at Norway Opera House

"Piddle" Purrington, a former Norway

star will be seen working for the visitors.

A breezy argument is anticipated.

The Sunlight hop at Norway Opera

House Christmas afternoon was attended

by fifty couples. A Christmas dance in

the evening was a social success. Sev-

enty-five and more couples danced until

midnight. Students home from the

various colleges gathered to meet their

friends and acquaintances and the eve-

ning passed as one of the most enjoyable

for the winter. Shaws Jazz Orchestra

furnished excellent music at both gath-

erings. Special bus service to South Paris

was furnished during the evening.

L. E. McIntire of East Waterford was

re-elected treasurer of the New England

Holstein Friesian Association at its first

annual meeting Tuesday in the American

House, Boston, Mass., a banquet was

served after which the business session

of Philadelphia spoke.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward H. Downing

have returned from their wedding trip

and have rooms at H. M. Maxin's where

Mr. Downing has resided since coming

to Norway. 50-52

Maude Ellen Pike who teaches at Bre-

vard Institute, Brevard, North Carolina

came home unexpectedly Saturday night

and gave her parents and friends a

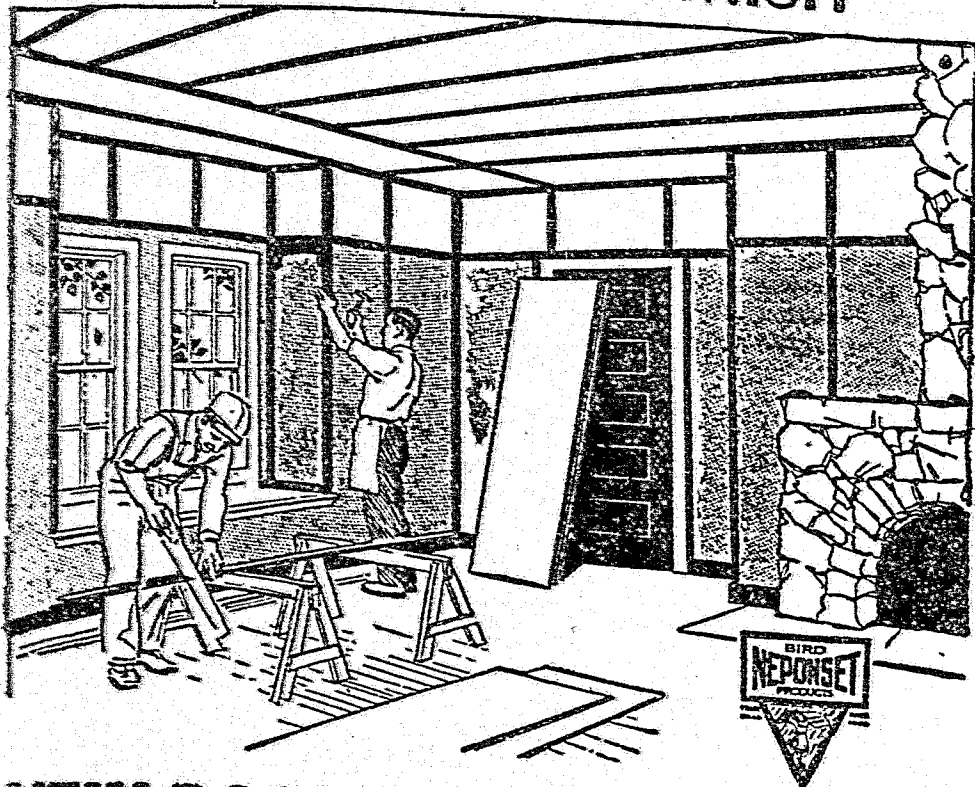
Christmas surprise. She will return

Monday. 50-52

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THE LEFT WING OF SPECKLED MOUNTAIN

"What you got on your back?" I asked as I stood looking through an open barn door at a stout looking individual, humped over, trying to fit something white upon his back. "That's a birch bark blueberry carrier," he said as I took a few steps farther and stood by his side. I could see at a glance that he was a crafty fellow and knew the ins and outs in the mountains.

"How much does that dern thing hold anyhow?" I asked. "All you want to lug off Speckled Mountain, I'll agree," the stranger said. I found out by the conversation that followed that I was talking with a man who worked a few years in the government, running lines and knew every inch of that section from A to Z. It was myself, the stranger and a stout, cheery chauffeur known as Bill Richardson, that made up the party the next morning, that started over the road in a motor car. Our cargo on board consisted of a camping outfit that was made up of everything from a frying pan to a gill dipper.

We thundered along throughout Waterford and before nightfall we passed over a bridge and the car came to a stop beside one of the prettiest sparkling trout streams I ever looked at. "Look at that mountain," I said as all hands leaped pell mell out over the side of the car. The stranger lost no time but scrambled away through the alder bushes and soon was back with suitable poles to pitch the tent with. I brought a bottle of water from that wonderful brook that God had made and the supper the stranger prepared that night would score heavily against some of the housewives in this locality.

A scud passed over our quarters that night and a downpour of rain disturbed our slumbers, but as a while I could not sleep midst the perfume that came down that peaceful valley. "Where could a man find a scene more grand than that?" I said the next morning as we stood outside and looked fervently at the deep ravines and high cliffs that towered in the distance.

Our morning walk was at the left wing of Speckled Mountain. I could see that part of the mountain was mostly solid ledge and extended or projected out in such a way that it was well named the left wing. We started out single file, I watched the coils of smoke that went up from the stranger's pipe bowl and I noticed that he walked off with the soft, stealthy tread of an Indian.

After a short walk through the valley we stopped at the boiling spring, took a supply of water and were soon clambering up one of the ruggedest mountains found anywhere in the New England hills. I watched the stranger just ahead of me while his cowhide boots loosened bits of earth that came rolling down past me with great rapidity. Many times I would settle down breathless or cling to some twig that stretched out towards me.

Before leaving home I had invested myself with pieces of chalk and, having lived on a farm in early life, I had traits and habits of my own origination. The spots on the trees used as a trail a few years previous by my companion were growing dim and he would stop and strain his eyes and move along with more or less hesitation.

I was in the act of reaching back to tag one of the trees behind me with my chalk when his voice called out, "What's the idea?" "I'm fixing a trail to come back on," I said, "and it will not be a baffling one, either." "Say, partner, that's a new one. I've traveled in the wilderness half my days and I'll be blown if I ever saw the like of that before and you call yourself a tenderfoot." I had to laugh when he raised the back part of my cap and wanted to know where I got that bump of knowledge.

We reached the top with some difficulty and I could see at a glance that wild berries were there in abundance. Signs of bears were plentiful, but did not feel alarmed as we both carried hunting knives and I noticed that my companion's belt supported a gun of large caliber. Our lodge of white canvas looked like a mere speck down the valley and the only sound that fell upon our ears was the lowing of pasture beds in the valleys or the low hum of some industry far away. I thought I had seen berry pickers but never before had I seen such skill and lightning movements as he, my companion and guide.

After lunch I stood long and viewed this grand panorama and could but turn my eyes toward heaven and give thanks that I had health and strength to visit such a spot where nature had done some of her grandest work found anywhere in New England. A little before sundown, being somewhat fatigued and heavily loaded with berries, we started down the chalked trail, passed the boiling spring and went into camp a little before dusk. After supper we were willing to lie down, feeling that we had been well paid for our day's experience.

On the third day our chauffeur called to take us back to mingle with the outer world, back to the cheer and glow of the home fire, but it's going to be a long day before I forget that sparkling stream and the picture I saw from the left wing of Speckled Mountain.

Frederick Marshall Davis.

WEST BETHEL

Doris Ordway the Grammar school teacher and Katherine Brown, the Primary teacher had a Christmas tree at the Grange hall Friday evening, Dec. 23 and the schools are closed for a vacation of a week.

The crossing at the ferry has been bad for some time.

D. W. Cushing and son Gerald have had a lighting plant installed in their buildings. The work was done by Linwood Fogg of Norway and Eugene Stevens of South Paris as helper.

Mrs. W. D. Mills spent a few days at Bethel village recently, the guest of her daughter, Mrs. W. E. Bartlett and family. Mrs. Helen Tyler was in Bethel village Wednesday evening to visit her daughter, Mrs. Bion Brown and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Ordway and Edmund Smith attended the State Grange at Portland.

Mrs. Bion Brown and daughter Helen of Bethel village spent Sunday with Mrs. Helen Tyler.

Mrs. Nathaniel Bennett of Norway is caring for Mrs. Cleveland Bennett and son.

A Paris man is a deep student of economy, but his wife throws away the ends of steaks.

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WHAT IS NEWS?

Every now and then someone comes into this office with a quiet request that we keep his or some friend's name out of the paper; and we are forced once again to go into the ethics of newspaper publicity.

In the belief that what interests a few will be worth reading by the majority, we are now publishing a declaration of policy regarding what constitutes a news story. There is no intention to criticize anyone in our so doing, but only a desire to make the matter plain to all readers.

The presentation of news is the very life-blood of our business; if a newspaper does not print this, what possible reason is there for its existence. It is certain that unless we printed news of interest to people of this community, our circulation would quickly reach the vanishing point; and in all probability the public appetite for such stories would result in someone else supplying the deficiency caused by our neglect. We believe that truth to be so self-evident that the reader will concede the point without argument.

No news story can be written without the mention of names, places, and at times both. The personal interest is generally what counts from the reading standpoint.

With reference to the personal element, it will be seen that news is of two principal kinds—favorable, and unpleasant. Let us quote two examples of our meaning; if a resident of the city were awarded the congressional medal of honor, the news of this event would be favorable; if another resident were found guilty of a most atrocious murder, this story would be to say the least unpleasant. These two extremes will illustrate our point at a glance.

If one will take the trouble to analyze any newspaper, and to mark out with pencil names of a personal character, very little will be found to remain in its columns upon completion of the task.

Few newspapermen like to write of a gruesome or otherwise unpleasant incident; yet this is just as much a part of their duty as it is for a grocer to sell eggs. It is much more refreshing, and many times the inspiration, to send in copy of a happening that is good and wholesome and pure; but the bad has to be taken with the good, and the news-reading public demands both. Some time ago a journal in the Middle West which had pledged itself to the elimination of all crime of whatever description from its news columns went into insolvency from lack of patronage.

There is another point about the publication of court news, legal activities, and the like and a very important point, too; it acts as a deterrent. This is no idle supposition, but a proved fact. The visits which have prompted this explanation show this to be so if nothing else does.

It is a dictum of 20th century society that violations of the law shall be punished, and, to quote W. S. Gilbert of comic opera fame, to "make the punishment fit the crime." No doubt there are many cases where felons escape their just due and innocent ones suffer for the guilty; but none the less, justice is the groundwork of modern civilization.

Twentieth century journalism acquaints the people as nothing else ever did with the workings of the law. Now we can consider the concrete cases which from time to time come to our notice. A man buys intoxicating liquor, he drinks too much of it and breaks the law by appearing upon the street in a drunken condition, he is apprehended by a police officer and taken to the station, he faces the judge later in answer to the charge and upon being found guilty of the offense is fined. Has such a man any right to ask us to keep this information out of the news columns? Positively no.

The fact that his wife or mother or other relative may be hurt by reading about his disgrace in the newspaper is no argument, but simply an aggravation of the offense. It stands to reason that this distress would be not nearly so keen because of the light of publicity on the offense as from the fact that he had committed the crime; and the offender should have thought of these things beforehand. It is anything but a pleasure for a newspaper to have to report such cases, and it certainly has no intention to pilory anyone. But suppose it acceded to such a request? What would be the natural consequence? A precedent would be established of which others would be sure to take advantage. If it is fair to leave one out, it is just as fair to leave all out; and if one did that, the prostitution of a newspaper's mission would naturally follow.

This argument is sound all through. We have quoted a simple case of drunkenness as one of the easiest examples to understand; but its logic is inexorable, and can be applied equally to all news. When once a newspaper abandons itself to this lack of principle its purpose is inevitably defeated.

"But," says one critic, "we would not mind if newspapers always did this; but last week you said nothing about Tom Jones, who ran over a child, or a couple of weeks before of Mary Smith, who eloped with a married man."

The answer is easy. A newspaper is not infallible; and at times events of this nature happen which are not reported at all, or perhaps too late for inclusion. The reporter covering a certain kind of news may be sick; or conditions may be such that he cannot arrive at a place in time. Then, again, mechanical requirements have to be considered. Frequently there is a surplus of news matter and in this case, in order that a paper may go to press on time, late copy, unless it is of first-class importance, has to be left out. If included, some other story has to be "killed" to make room for it.

Many other functions go to make up the duty of the modern newspaper, such as the protection of public interest; but we have touched upon the news aspect only, with a view to making clear the fact that it is impossible, even were it not a violation of newspaper ethics, to discriminate in its presentation.—Berlin Reporter.

CHATHAM, N. H.

Vance Mender has recovered from his fall and is going out of doors. Mrs. Ethel Bryant is gaining slowly. Mrs. Fannie Chandler is working for her. Florence Bryant has a very bad throat and has not been able to go to school for weeks.

Perley Brown and wife have moved to the Howard place in Stow. Eunice Maxwell is working for Mrs. Brown. George Guphill will drive team for Perley Brown this winter.

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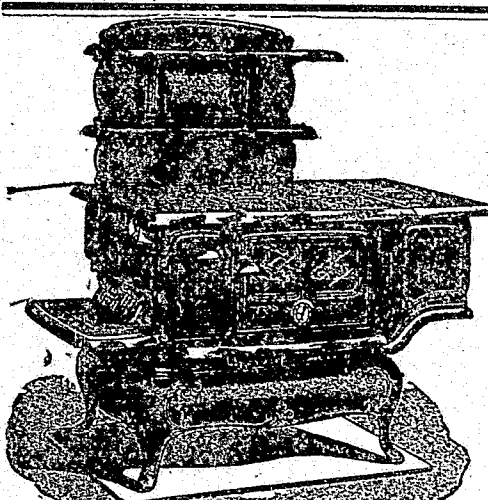
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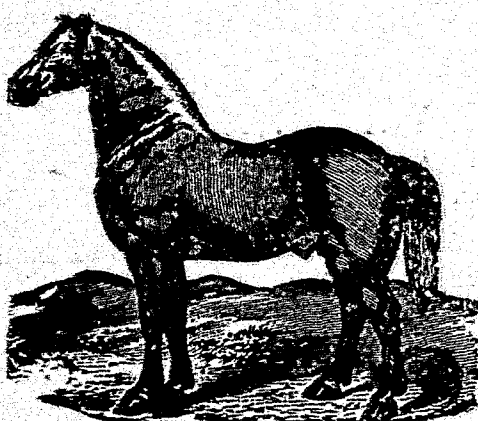
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One of the most successful showers we have had this season was that given at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Lester Tibbets, Monday evening in the form of a variety shower for Marjorie Farwell. The house was prettily decorated with the Xmas colors and a large Xmas tree held a gift for all.

After games and music were enjoyed, Santa arrived well laden with gifts for Miss Farwell. Refreshments of ice cream in the holiday colors and fancy cakes. The favors were tiny Santa Clauses. About twenty guests were present.

An Xmas program was given at the church Friday evening. A large tree was well laden with gifts.

Mrs. E. L. Tebbets of Auburn, Mr. and Mrs. Churchill and Miss Churchill of Mechanic Falls, Mr. and Mrs. Lester Tibbets and Fred Morton of this place were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Donald Tibbets, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Pettingill are with relatives in Salem, over the holiday.

W. B. Rand and wife had as guests, Mr. and Mrs. Carroll Brewster of Lewiston.

The family party at Elmer Fisk's were Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Littlefield, Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Kimball and J. C. Littlefield, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. George Tirrell and Lewis dined with Owen Demeritt and family.

Belle Chase of Auburn was a guest of her sister, Mrs. Ralph King.

Curtis Abbott was home from Lincoln, Sunday.

Mrs. Tena Woods of Mechanic Falls visited at C. E. Stowell's, Xmas day.

Mrs. King Bartlett and Mrs. Elmer Fisk were in Bryant's Pond, Friday.

Porter Swan was home from Newry, Sunday.

GREENWOOD CENTER

Roy Martin was at Albert Cash's at South Paris over the week end.

Mrs. Ransom Cole was called to Auburn Wednesday of last week by the death of her mother, Mrs. Wall.

Iva Bryant, who is teaching the school in this vicinity, spent the Christmas holiday at her home in Hartford.

Alphonso Cole and George Coffin were at Ransom Cole's one day last week.

Frank Reed was at Ross Martin's, Saturday, Dec. 24th.

Mr. and Mrs. Willie Morgan spent Christmas at their parents', Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Cole's.

Pearl Swan spent the week end with his father at Norway.

Harry Swift and Harry Cole have been working in the woods on Harry Swift's lot near Cole's mill.

Harry Cole was at Ross Martin's, Sunday.

There were several family Christmas trees in this vicinity.

Mrs. Daniel Cole spent the afternoon at Lester Cole's, Thursday.

Beryl and Glenn Martin, among other Christmas gifts, received a pet rabbit.

BRYANT'S POND

Allen J. Hathaway of Littleton, Mass., is spending a week with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Hathaway.

Annie D. Greeley visited in Auburn the past week.

Kenneth B. Hathaway of Boston spent Xmas with his mother, Mrs. Clara Hathaway.

C. Roger Lappin from U. of M., is spending his vacation in town.

Myrtle A. Bacon of Boston is spending the week with her brothers, H. Alton Bacon and Ralph M. Bacon.

MILTON

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Ackley spent the week end with her daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. George Ryerson and four sons, Hershal, Reginald, Elmer and James.

Mr. and Mrs. Clinton Buck and daughter Arline spent Saturday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Walter Millett and family of Rumford.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Billings and son Lee spent Saturday evening with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Millett of Rumford.

Agnes Millett of Rumford spent Saturday with her sister, Mrs. Harry Billings.

Llewellyn Buck and Charlie Poland were at their home from their work over Christmas.

Several attended the entertainment and Xmas tree at Poplar Schoolhouse, Friday evening.

Lawrence Clifford has returned to his home at Rumford Falls after working here for Francis Lapham.

Mrs. Adelaide Ryerson and son Len spent Xmas with Mr. and Mrs. Florus Poland and family.

Lester Lapham has finished work for Edwin Bean of Woodstock and returned to his mother's, Mrs. Grace Ethridge's.

Keith Foster of Woodstock spent Xmas at Grace Ethridge's.

Ida Lapham is home from Norway High School for two weeks' vacation.

WEST LOVELL

Albert and Fred Fox and sister Anna have returned to their homes. Their father Wm. Fox is gaining.

Levi and Sewell Butters and Mrs. Beards were in Stoneham Friday overnight.

Charles Merrill, John Elliott, M. A. Sargent, Z. McAllister and son had their butchering done last week.

Mrs. Isma Coleman had a Christmas tree at the school house for the pupils.

Several families had trees at their homes but there was no community tree this year.

Mrs. Byron McAllister and family entertained her grandmother, Mrs. Eliza Lord and aunts Lillian Lord and Mrs. Irving Bowley and husband, Webster McAllister and George H. Fox, Christmas day.

R. R. McAllister and wife and Burdard also called on his relatives Z. McAllister and family.

PIGEON HILL

Alwin Strout is staying a few days in Raymond with his grandfather, who is very ill.

William Hall is spending the Christmas recess from Bowlen College with his mother, Mary D. Hall.

John King and family spent Christmas day with Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Hovey and enjoyed a home Christmas tree.

Mr. and Mrs. Smith of the Morey farm spent Saturday with their son Harry and family of Mechanic Falls and enjoyed a fine tree in the evening.

Mr. Warren of Welchville is cutting wood for J. K. and C. K. Denning and Dwinall Tyner is assisting doing chores and cutting wood.

Charles Jones and C. K. Denning are carrying in poultry to Poland Springs.

Clarence March and family of Lewiston spent Monday with his parents, C. S. March of Page's Mills and enjoyed a fine Christmas tree.

The writer who escapes criticism is not a writer. He is just a scribbler.

LOVELL CENTER

Elmon and William Vance are at home for their Christmas and New Year vacation.

George Coe has returned from Boston where he has been visiting for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. Marcellus Stearns and son were guests of Mrs. Maud Silkworth, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Stearns visited at Lovell Village, Sunday.

Ethel Andrews spent the Christmas holidays in Fryeburg and Bridgton.

Mrs. Ruth Chandler is very poorly.

Ralph McAllister, wife and baby were at his father's at West Lovell recently.

A supper entertainment and Christmas tree was held at the Christian church Saturday evening. Owing to the bad weather or not a very large crowd was present, but Santa Claus was there, which pleased the old as well as the young. The following entertainment was given:

Song	Pearl and Ina McKean
Recitation	John McKean
Recitation	Arington Files
Song	Pearl and Ina McKean
Song	Roy Smith
Recitation	Howard Witham
Song	Four girls
Recitation	Bertha Smith
Recitation	Harold Witham
Song	Phyllis Witham
Song	Howard Witham
Song	Venona Andrews
Song	Three girls
Song	Roy Smith
Recitation	Bertha Smith
Song	John McKean
Recitation	Dorothy Miliken
Song	Three girls
Recitation	Theodore Pettis
Song	Pearl and Ina McKean
Song	All

WEST GREENWOOD

Mr. and Mrs. Flanders spent Christmas with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Kennebec, Lillian Cross is at home on her vacation from the Woodstock High School.

Frank Stevens was in town, Saturday.

Jeannette Campbell, who has been visiting friends and relatives at Rumford, returned home, recently.

Mary Harrington is at home on her vacation.

Charles Lydon was in town a few days of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. George Conner and family spent Christmas at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Cross.

Mr. Karstead was in this vicinity, recently.

Nellis and Gertrude Harrington spent the week end at home.

Annie and Lillian Cross were at Bryant's Pond last week, shopping.

Alton and Charles Bartlett of Hanover spent Christmas at John Deegan's.

Calvin Cummings, Frank Ramey, Martin Lydon and Charles Stevens were in town recently.

Roland Cummings spent the holiday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Cummings, at Bethel.

School Gave Program

Friday, Miss Dearden gave the children a Christmas tree at the schoolhouse. The parents and neighbors were invited and all enjoyed a social afternoon together with the teachers and pupils. The following program was given:

Rec.	"Hurrah for Old Santa" Jas. Harrington
Rec.	"Santa Claus" Lila Conner
Christmas Quotations	Lila Conner
Rec.	"From Bobby's Point of View" School
Rec.	"Kitty's Christmas" Mary Lowe
Reading	"A Visit from St. Nicholas" Phyllis Campbell
Rec.	"If Santa Claus Lived in a Shoe" School
Reading	"Wynne, Broken and Red" William Harrington
Rec.	"Dolly's Christmas Program" Third Grade
Rec.	"Madeline Kennebec Christmas Rhymes" School
Rec.	"Santa's Story" Lila Conner
Reading	"Little Walt's Christmas Gifts" School
Song	"Silent Night" Lila Conner
Song	"Hang Up the Baby's Stocking" School
Christmas Greetings	Phyllis Campbell

After the above program was presented the gifts were removed from the tree, much to the merriment of the children. All left at a late hour after having reported a good time.

ANDOVER

Mrs. Edward Akers was seriously ill last week with heart trouble.

Rev. Warren Campbell was called to Portland, Thursday, by the death of his father from pneumonia.

Lohe M. Grange will install its officers for the coming year at its regular meeting, Saturday.

On account of the absence of the pastor there was no Christmas tree at the Congregational Church Saturday evening as planned.

Mr. and Mrs. Roger Thurston and daughter Anna and George Thomas were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Bert Dunn on Christmas Day.

Clarence Hall and family dined with Winthrop Akers and family, Sunday.

Lincoln Dresser was the dinner guest of Y. A. Thurston and family.

Lawrence Parsons and family were guests of Lucien Akers and wife, Christmas Day.

The King's Daughters remembered the sick and elderly people with boxes of fruit and with other substantial gifts.

George Thomas has returned from a visit with friends in Portland and Lewiston.

Mrs. Fred Bartlett and daughter were in Norway a few days last week.

Mr. Dow and bride are keeping house at the Homestead.

The schools in town will reopen Monday, January 2.

John MacKinnon, who has been appointed deputy sheriff, is a member of the school board at Mexico in the Union of towns of Andover, Mexico, Roxbury and Byron.

EAST SWEDEN

The teacher and scholars of Haskell school had a short entertainment and a Christmas tree at the school house, Friday afternoon. On account of bad weather there were not many visitors.

Mrs. George Porter and children spent Sunday with her mother, Mrs. D. T. Adams.

Mrs. D. T. Adams and son Millard attended the Christmas tree at the town hall, Saturday night.

They had a family tree at O. H. Haskell's Saturday night. Ice cream and cake were served. A short entertainment was given by the children followed by the distribution of the many beautiful presents. Every one reported a good time.

Those present were Ray Kneeland and wife, Mrs. Mary Kneeland, Fred Barton, Raymond and Earl Sawyer, John E. Flint and family, C. W. Bennett, Ethelbert Bennett and family, Dell Holden and family, Harold Merrill and family and H. O. Saunders and family.

Miss Edgely has gone to her home at Bridgton to spend Christmas.

D. T. Adams has been at home for a few days recently.

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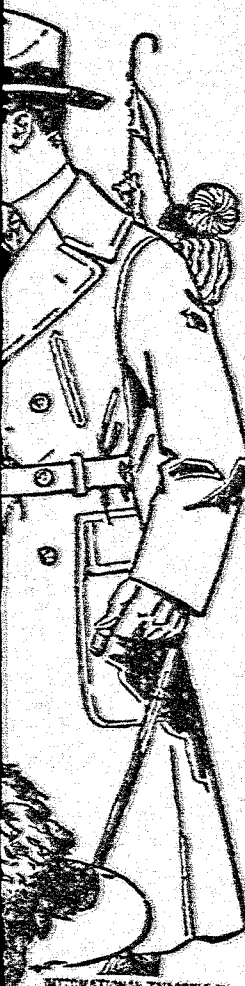
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Five Passenger Coupe	- - - - -	3925
Sedan	- - - - -	4100
Suburban	- - - - -	4250
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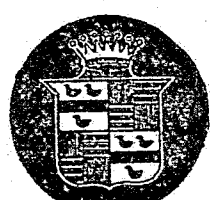
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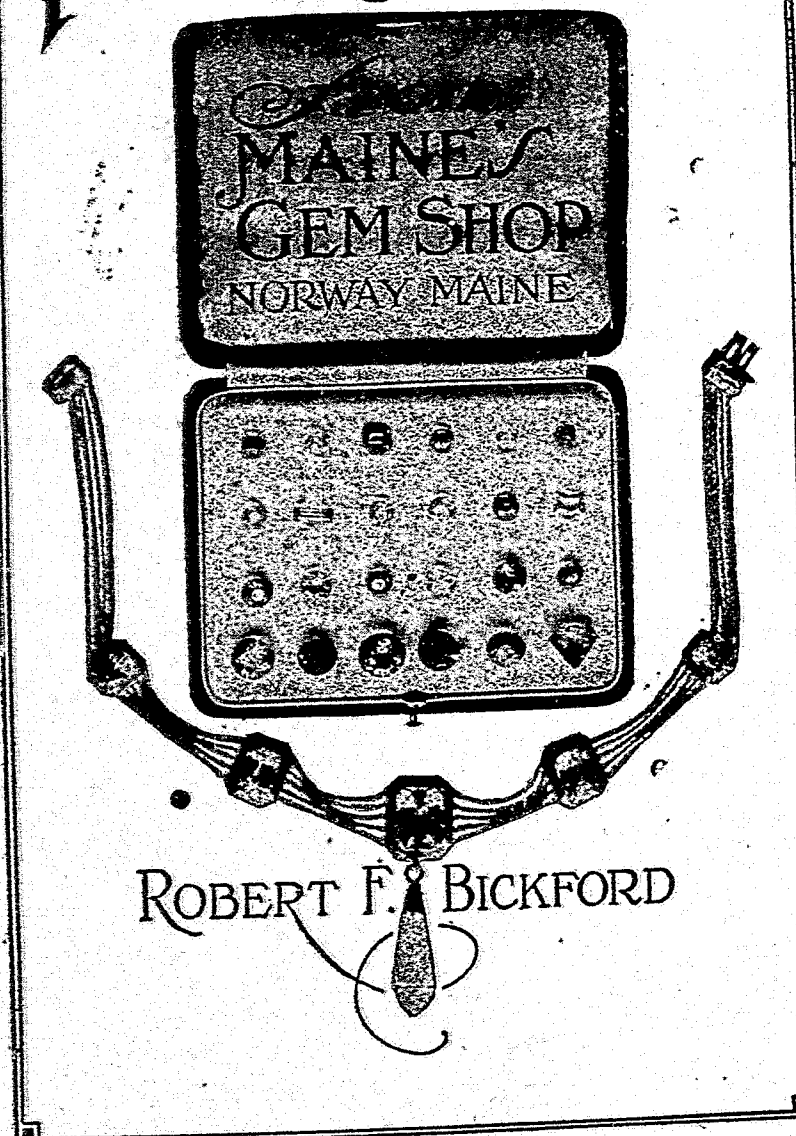


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NOTICE
The subscriber hereby gives notice that he has been duly appointed executor of the will of AUGUST E. BEMIS late of Fryeburg, in the County of Oxford, deceased, without bond. All persons having demands against the estate of said deceased are desired to present the same for settlement, and all indebted there to are requested to make payment immediately.
WALTER S. BEMIS, Fryeburg, Me.
December 20, 1921.

OXFORD

The regular meeting of the Elmer D. Anderson Post 112 of the American Legion was held Monday evening, Dec. 19 and the following officers were elected:

Commander—Joseph Hunting.
Vice Commander—Charles Hurst.
Adjutant—Guy Walker.
Finance Officer—E. Trebilcock.
Sergeant at Arms—Dallas Benson.
Chaplain—Andrew T. Walker.
Historian—Leander Wardwell.
Nina Stone from Portland and Mr. and Mrs. Walter Heslop and Mr. and Mrs. Washburn were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Heslop over Christmas.

Mr. and Mrs. John Trebilcock from Lewiston visited his parents for the Christmas holidays, Mr. and Mrs. Josiah Trebilcock and took their niece Hazel Trebilcock back with them to spend her school vacation.

Mrs. Mary Ervin returned home from the hospital Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Myron McAllister took dinner Christmas day with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Martin.

The children of the Advent Sunday School held their concert Sunday evening with speaking and singing.

Retha Glover was called to Rumford Monday by the serious illness of her brother's wife.

The Androscoggin Valley Conference will meet with the Adventist church, Auburn from Dec. 29 to Jan 1, some from Oxford expect to attend the meetings.

Richville
Loren Stearns returned from Portland and with his family are staying with his father, Charles Stearns.

Ephraim Jillson and wife went to Portland to State Grange on Tuesday and returned home on Friday.

Charles Stearns and sons cut and hauled wood for Quimby Millett of Oxford. L. G. Bonney took care of Ephraim Jillson's furnace while he was in Portland.

G. A. Martin has bought a new sleigh. Mrs. Charles Stearns and family were in Norway, Monday.

G. E. Martin butchered a hog for G. A. Martin, Tuesday.

Fred H. Martin and wife visited G. A. Martin and family on Tuesday.

Fore Street
The Fore St. people gave Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Twichell a surprise party Monday evening at their 10th anniversary.

Mrs. Flora Cummings left South Paris Saturday Dec. 17 on the evening train for Merced, California for the winter.

There are eight cases of whooping cough in one family.

The Fore St. school had their Christmas tree and program Wednesday evening.

WEST PERU

Summer Knox

Summer Knox passed away at his home at the village Dec. 26 at 10 o'clock from double pneumonia after a short illness. He was 76 years of age and a life long resident here.

He is survived by a widow who was, before her marriage, Mrs. Mary Ella Martin of this place and two daughters, Mrs. Sadie Leadbetter of Auburn and Mrs. Gladys Austin of Portland, three brothers, Melour, Perley and Charles E. Knox, and one sister, Mrs. Lillian Frost all of this place.

SOUTH OTISFIELD.

E. B. Jillson and wife spent Christmas Sunday with their son George.

Mrs. Hannah Jordan and son Linwood from North Windham spent Christmas with Howard Ames and family.

The school closed at South Otisfield the 23rd. The vacation will be two weeks. It was a very successful term of school taught by Mrs. Ryan. She had a fine treat. The program was fine. The children all did finely speaking pieces. The teacher had twelve visitors.

Lowell Cleveland went to Norway, Saturday.

Mrs. Grace Dyer and son Ralph and little Dorothy spent Sunday with Mrs. A. S. Ames.

Howard Dyer, Ralph Dyer, and Oscar Martin called on Howard Ames, Sunday.

DIXFIELD

A beautiful Christmas tree was placed in the square in front of the Post Office and wired with electric bulbs in green, yellow, blue and red. On the top was a beautiful white electric star. The work of decorating was done by electrician J. L. Finney. This tree was for the benefit of the community; and Christmas carols and exercises were given at this place Sunday evening at 5 o'clock. Santa Claus was present in his gay and attractive costume, and with his pack on his back, remembered all the children in the community.

NORTH HARTFORD
Mrs. Nellie Stetson and son Samuel dined with Mrs. Lydia Corliss, Christmas day.

Delmont Davenport is staying with his grandmother and aunt, Mrs. E. B. Davenport and Wilma Richardson of Canton.

Cora Merchant was a guest over Christmas of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Dana Norton.

Mrs. Alice LeFoy is passing the holidays with her sister in Lynn, Mass.

Mabel Davenport is sick and her mother, Robert Henry of Canton is working for P. A. Davenport.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Bragg are staying at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ludden for a time.

Mr. and Mrs. William Jordan have moved into the place recently vacated by Harry Bragg.

Anson Cash is on the sick list.

Oliver Norton was a guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Dana Norton, Xmas.

Mr. and Mrs. Elsie Sampson called on the latter's mother, Mrs. Ida Glover, Christmas day.

Nellie Richardson of Boston is with her mother, through the holidays.

NORTH PARIS
Inez Elwell, telephone operator at Bethel, spent Christmas recess with her parents Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Elwell, Vivian Elwell, a student at South Paris high school, is also at home. She is recovering from a severe attack of whooping cough.

Christmas dinner party at Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Littlehale's included Edith Littlehale of Fairfield, Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Andrews, Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Littlehale, William and Marcellus Littlehale of North Paris.

Mr. and Mrs. James E. Abbott spent Christmas day with Mr. and Mrs. A. T. Hollis and family at West Paris where a Christmas tree was enjoyed.

Mrs. Pearl Parker is at Portland for medical treatment.

The farmers in this vicinity are cutting their ice.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Littlehale were in Norway on business one day recently.

Levi Hazelton went to Lewiston Friday to visit his wife who is at the O. M. G. Hospital, recovering from a surgical operation.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Abbott and son Windsor were Christmas guests at Norman Bessey's at Buckfield.

The schools are closed for a two weeks' vacation.

Carl Hollis of West Paris is working for James Abbott during ice harvesting.

ABBOTT'S MILLS
A very nice Christmas tree was enjoyed at Poplar Schoolhouse Friday night.

Mrs. Henry Niskanes has been sick, but is better.

Mrs. Carl Lintti has been sick, but is improving now.

Ethan Russell is driving team for Carl Lintti.

Dinner guests at Charles Wilson's on Christmas day included Mr. and Mrs. O. H. Bowker, S. A. Russell, Ethan and Helen Russell, Mrs. Leah Chamberlain and two boys, Wilbur and Robert.

Wilbur Wilson visited O. H. Bowker, Tuesday.

Helen Russell visited Mrs. Charles Wilson, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Whitman visited at Edgar Davis', Sunday.

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Everybody will read with interest the statement of Miss M. E. Woodford, 1808 Filmore St. Lynchburg, Va., who says: "I don't believe anybody ever suffered from headaches like I did. The pains felt like an iron band was being drawn around my head and my temples would throb until I was driven almost distracted. I shudder when I think of those awful headaches. I had no appetite either."

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HARRISON

Church Federation Notes

Rev. Mr. Witham preached a Christmas sermon Sunday morning to a large congregation. The music by a large choir and a male quartet was especially enjoyed.

The Christmas party was held Saturday afternoon at the church vestry. A tree, social and refreshments were enjoyed by a large number of children with their mothers.

On Sunday evening a cantata "The Manger Prince" was given at the Free Baptist auditorium. A large congregation was present. The cantata was under the direction of W. B. Spiller. In the chorus were: Mrs. Samuel Pitts, Mrs. F. W. Walker, Mrs. A. W. Dudley, Elsie M. Stevens, Mrs. M. H. Pitts, Messrs. Walter Dudley, Paul Walker, F. W. Walker and Charles Wheeler all of Harrison and Misses Agnes and Margaret Jordan, Mrs. Winnifred Curtis, Messrs. Warren and James Chadbourne of North Bridgton. The soloists were F. W. Walker, W. B. Spiller, Walter Dudley, J. Chadbourne, Agnes and Margaret Jordan, Mrs. F. W. Walker and Mrs. S. L. Pitts, Organist, Mrs. Hobart Denison.

The regular meeting of the Wyonegonic Club which was to have been held with the President Mrs. M. H. Pitts on Thursday was postponed for two weeks until Jan. 13th.

Christmas Guests
Arthur Libby of Portland spent Christmas at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Libby on Elm St. Celia, Lester and Helen Caswell were at their home on Waterford Road.

Elizabeth Pitts of Portland visited relatives several days.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Pitts of South Paris spent Monday with Mr. and Mrs. M. H. Pitts on Hillside Ave.

Phil Pitts of Springfield, Mass. and Mrs. Elijah Stanton of Portland spent a few days the past week with relatives in town.

Lyndall Flint of Fryeburg and a senior at Fryeburg Academy is visiting at Mr. and Mrs. George Flints on High St.

On Monday evening, Jan. 2nd a New Years Ball will be held at Grange Hall for the benefit of the Harrison Driving Club and L. O. F. Floor Manager, Phil Marquie; Aids, Sam Pitts, Harley Pitts, Joe Chaplin and Bert Southworth.

A delightful family gathering was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Briggs Floral Lawn Farm, Christmas day. A wonderful chicken dinner with all the "fixins" was served by Mrs. Briggs.

At the table were Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Briggs, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Knight and Mr. and Mrs. Stephen Pembroke and daughters Ruberta, Carolyn and Grace all of Portland, Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Rowe of Oxford, Carl Whitney, Willie Pembroke and Madelyn Williams.

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NOTICE OF NON-RESIDENT TAX SALE

STATE OF MAINE
Unpaid taxes on lands situated in the Town of Greenwood, in the County of Oxford, for the year 1921.

The following list of taxes on real estate of non-resident owners in the Town of Greenwood aforesaid, for the year 1921, committed to me for collection for said town on the fourteenth day of May, 1921, remain unpaid, and notice is hereby given that if said taxes with interest and charges are not previously paid, so much of the real estate taxed as is sufficient to pay the amount due therefor, including interest and charges, will be sold without further notice at public auction at Hotel Hall, Locke's Mills in said town, on the first Monday in February, 1922, at nine o'clock A. M.

Name of Owner	Description of Property	Tax Due
Curtis, D. P. heirs of or unknown	Lot 6, Range 9, land bounded north by Matti Pulkkinen, east by G. N. Emmons, south by Willie Heikkinen, west by road, 60 acres.	\$28.40
Peco, Eli, heirs of or unknown	Lot 12, Range 1, land bounded north and west by road, east and south by M. Stomela, 10 acres.	3.90
Rowe, H. O. or unknown	Cottage and lot on Big Island.	20.80

Dec. 19, 1921. 52-2 JAMES W. RING, Collector of Taxes of the Town of Greenwood.

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There are weather conditions that make rheumatism worse. They are not the same in the cases of all persons. Some rheumatics suffer more in dry, warm weather than in moist, cold weather, but all suffer more or less all the time.

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BETHEL

Funeral of Annie Cross

The funeral of Annie Cross was held at the home Friday afternoon. Rev. Israel Jordan, a former pastor of the Congregational church was assisted in the service by Rev. S. T. Achenbach, present pastor of the Bethel church. A tender eulogy was read by the deceased by one who had known her long and intimately, mention being made of her uniting with the church in 1853, 68 years ago. There were beautiful flowers.

Frank and Fred Hamlin of Berlin, N. H., and Charles and William Phillips of Brewer and Rev. and Mrs. Israel Jordan of Palmyra were the only friends present from out of town. The bearers were the four nephews, Messrs. Frank and Fred Hamlin and Charles and William Phillips. The body was placed in the tomb. Burial will be in the Steam mill cemetery in the family lot.

Annie Cross passed away recently at the home of her sister Mrs. Abbie Bean. She was a life long resident of Bethel, the daughter of the late Mrs. F. Cross. Her age was eighty-seven years.

Mrs. A. E. K. Grover was a guest of her sister Mrs. Emily F. Swan last week.

Mrs. Herbert Kendall and daughter Ruth were recent guests at D. R. Smith's. Marion Wilson was a caller here on her way to Albany to resume her school duties. Her school will close in three weeks.

Cards received by friends and relatives from Mr. and Mrs. Fred Clark who are spending the winter in Fullerton, California tell of their safe arrival and enjoyment of the country so far. They motored to Pomona, Calif. and called on Sam Gibson and family also his sister, Mattie and Jennie. It seemed like a reunion as the Gibsons were Bethel people.

N. R. Springer and family are nicely settled in Pasadena, Calif.

Mrs. A. L. Copeland is confined to the house with a severe cold.

Nina Holt assisted Mrs. Abbie Bean recently in caring for her sister.

Mrs. Bessie Sloan kept house for Mr. and Mrs. Walter Bartlett while they visited in Portland.

Christmas was enjoyed in Bethel with the usual festivities.

Much sympathy is expressed for the family of Mrs. Chester Cushman whose husband passed away not long ago and now the sad news has come that Mrs. Cushman formerly Lulu Arno of Bethel has passed away, leaving four children. Mrs. Carrie Arno is with the family at Montville for an indefinite period.

Bertha Chapman of Portland is the guest of relatives for the holidays.

Kathryn Hanson of Bates College and Ernestine Philbrook who is teaching at Amesbury are spending their vacation with their relatives.

A meeting was held Friday evening in the interest of the Riverside Park Association.

Grover Hill

Christmas Notes

A. B. Grover and wife entertained Fred Wheeler and family from Bethel.

W. H. Hutchinson and family spent the day at Harry Hutchinson's on Bethel Hill.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Lyon were guests at Harry Lyon's.

Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Tyler were entertained by Mr. Tyler's mother in Mason. Gwendolyn Stearns of Bridgewater, Mass. is the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. N. A. Stearns during the holidays.

Joe Spinney of Sunday River visited his mother, Mrs. Eliza Spinney at Fred Munn's.

NOT MARR.

Some Californians have invented a new device for gathering nuts.

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FOR SALE—Glenwood Oak Stove, No. 115, with coal and wood grate. Inquire of L. O. Whitman, 15 Tucker St., Norway. 52ft

LOST—Between Norway and Waterford, Friday, Dec. 23, a Presco-Hite tank, finder please notify W. P. Tobin, Norway, Me. 52ft

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BATES—WEST PARIS

Christmas Pageant

Christmas passed off pleasantly. The largest and most impressive gathering was that held in the Baptist church by the united Universalist and Federated Sunday Schools, where they presented "The Nativity," a four scene pageant on Sunday evening.

The first scene was Zacharias in the temple and the announcement of the angel Gabriel that he and his wife Elizabeth should have a son named John. The second scene was in the synagogue. The announcement to Mary. The third was the shepherd scene when the angel told them of the birth of Jesus and where they would find him and a number of little angels chanted Glory be to God.

The fourth was the manger or nativity scene with Mary and Joseph. First the shepherds appear then the Three Wise Men with their gifts. An invisible chorus of young people sang first O Come All Ye Faithful; Chant, How beautiful upon the Mountain; Hymn, Emanuel; Chant, Magnificent; Hymn, It came upon the midnight clear; Chant, "Glory" by angels; Chant, O little town of Bethlehem; Carol, We three Kings of Orient are sung by the three wise men and the chorus on the refrain; Solo, Mary's Cradle song by Doris Richardson; Hymn, to close, "As with Gladness" the characters represented were: Gabriel, Edna Richardson; Joseph, Florence Bryant; Mary, Martha Day; Zacharias, George Elaviv; Shepherds, Albert Martin, Edward Burnham, Gerry Emery, Albert Penley; Wise Men, Stanley Perham, gift-Gold Crown, Merton Berry, gift-incense vase, Howard Wardwell, gift-box of myrrh.

A reader, Mrs. H. A. Markley, behind the curtain, filled in with Scripture the parts of the story that were not made plain by the actors and what they said. The wise men entered from the rear of the church and sang the first verse as they marched then each sang a stanza alone as he presented his gift. The church was full and enjoyed the program. The young people did their parts fine.

Mrs. Markley, Mrs. A. Mann, Mrs. C. Martin were the committee from the Universalist S. S. and Mrs. White, Mrs. G. Aldrich and Mrs. K. Whitman from the Federated Sunday School for the Christmas exercises, Sunday evening.

The Finns had a Christmas tree program at their church Sunday evening.

The Federated Sunday School held a tree and small program just for the children and members of the Sunday School Monday evening, all had a good time.

The Universalist Sunday School held a Christmas party at Goodwill hall Wednesday for their children. Some program, games, gift giving and a treat of ice cream were enjoyed.

Mr. and Mrs. Abner Mann and son went to Norway to spend Monday Christmas dinner with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Mann entertained a large dinner party Sunday.

Mollycoddett Encampment No. 63 I. O. O. F. held their annual election of officers, Dec. 27 and the following were elected:

O. P. Q. H. Martin.
H. P. H. B. Allen.
S. W. Randall Herrick.
J. W. W. S. Ring.
Scribe—C. E. Bussey.
Treas.—L. H. Emery.

Trustees—B. M. Richardson, A. Elroy Dean, Lynn Rowe.

W. E. Ricker from Portland was home over Christmas with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Ricker.

Mrs. G. L. Emery and two children from Crystal, N. H. are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Hill.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Berton Smery will hold a wedding reception to their friends, Saturday evening, Jan 7 at their home on Maple Street.

SOUTH WOODSTOCK

Albion Taylor spent Christmas with his mother, Mrs. Ada Taylor at Bryant Pond.

Katie Cummings of Portland called on her cousin Mrs. F. E. Davis Thursday.

G. W. Q. Perham, W. P. Andrews and F. E. Davis are harvesting their ice.

Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Q. Perham and Edwin Perham spent Christmas at Mechanic Falls the guest of their daughter and husband Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Woodsum.

Ellis Davis was the guest of Robert Cushman, Christmas.

Carroll Cummings was in South Paris Monday.

Mrs. Jane Strout returned from Portland Monday where she has been visiting relatives for the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Q. Perham were at Dudley Cottage Monday evening to see Edwin R. Perham who is having a rather ill turn.

Perl Wyman hasn't been as well for the past week.

Adney Tuell is hauling wood from his place, purchased from Harry Sanborn to West Paris.

The road is being surveyed from Paris up through this place which is expected to be built in the spring.

There was a Christmas party at A. M. Andrews' Sunday of the Children and grandchildren.

ALBANY

Snow enough for good sledding and teamsters are very busy.

H. I. Bean was at Lewiston last week.

Mrs. A. G. Bean who has been visiting her sisters in Lewiston and Oxford has now gone to Massachusetts to visit her son. Amos and daughter Mina who is teaching school in North Andover, Mass.

D. A. and Miss Anne Cummings have moved to 24 Chapel street Lewiston.

May Gould who is teaching school in Waterbury, Conn. is at home this week on a vacation.

Anna Cummings attended the funeral of her cousin Dr. Charles Hutchinson of Portland, Dec. 7. He was the son of Rawson and Sophia Cummings Hutchinson of South Albany. He was 90 years old. He used to teach school before practicing medicine. He first practiced at North Waterford, after getting out of the Civil war where he served as a surgeon. Then he went to Gray, afterwards to Portland where he practiced medicine until his health failed him. He had 7 brothers and 3 sisters who were all nice school teachers. He has one son, Lyman Hutchinson at eminent lawyer of Portland. Two sisters, Mrs. Miranda Wardwell of Portland and Mrs. Rowena Wheeler of Gorham, N. H. are left to mourn their loss.

As He Looked at It.

The Optimist—"I tell you, there's no place like home." The Pessimist—"Yes, it's the one place in the world where a fellow feels that he can be just as disagreeable as he wants to be."

Pre-Inventory Sale!

This is the event eagerly waited for by many.

SALE BEGINS SATURDAY, DEC. 31

It continues for several days, but it will be to your advantage in many ways to be here the first day.

The Merchandising Policy of this store provides for the selling of each season's goods within that season that such prices as now rule are in force. However, the winter season has really just begun, in consequence of which the very merchandise that you will be most in need of now can be purchased 25, 33 1-3 per cent., and in some cases 50 per cent. less than earlier in the season. The woman with a saving instinct realizes this and plans and purchases accordingly.

COATS FOR EVERY OCCASION

COATS for every occasion, sport wear, motoring and dress up. Some plain tailored, others with fur collars, half or full lined, some are belted, others with full back and a two way belt.

LADIES' AND MISSES' COATS \$12.45. One lot containing several styles, all new this season, in brown, reindeer and navy, some of the coats were \$19.75.

LADIES' AND MISSES' COATS \$16.50. Several styles at this price, a few with fur collar, several have beautiful figured lining, most of these coats were \$24.75.

LADIES' COATS \$24.75, very attractive models of splendid material, lined throughout; one coat has fur collar. These coats were \$34.75 to \$39.50.

ONE LADY'S COAT \$34.75, was \$49.75, of Bolivia Cloth with a figured silk lining and has an interlining, a beautiful raccoon collar, a good looking and staple style.

SALTS PECO PLUSH COATS

Garments made of Salt Plush, stand out pre-eminently above all others, having a wonderful fur like richness and appearance which makes them the unanimous choice of discerning and fashionable women everywhere.

ONE PLUSH COAT \$27.50, was \$34.75, has black opossum collar and cuffs, 40 inches long, two way belt.

LONG PLUSH COATS for \$19.75, were \$24.75, lined throughout, has the two way belt.

ONE PLUSH COAT for \$12.50, 36-inch length.

CHILDREN'S COATS

All in the sale at 25 to 33 1-3 discount.

LADIES' SUITS

Now at Half Price

You can buy any suit in the store at just one-half the regular price at the first of season.

Many of the suits are fur trimmed, some are beautifully embroidered, others are tailored beautifully, silk linings are used.

SUITS that were \$45.00.....now \$22.50

SUITS that were \$42.50.....now \$21.25

SUITS that were \$37.50.....now \$18.75

SUITS that were \$29.75.....now \$14.85

SUITS that were \$24.75.....now \$12.35

GEORGETTE WAISTS

WAISTS that were \$5.95, now \$3.95

Here is an opportunity to save a nice little sum in the purchase of a Georgette Waist, several styles and colors that are beaded and lace trimmed.

VOILE WAISTS

Many styles, greatly reduced

One lot containing several styles, long and short sleeves, lace and hamberg trimmed, 59c is the price.

VOILE WAISTS, several styles in long and short sleeves, lace and embroidery trimmed, among this lot are several handmade, were \$2.95 to \$3.95, go into sale, \$1.95.

SILK DRESSES

Great Values Await You

Very desirable models of Canton Crepe, Satin and Crepe-de-Chine.

DRESSES that were \$24.75 and \$22.50 in sale at \$17.75.

WOOL DRESSES

One lot that was \$24.75, in sale at \$18.75

Made of Tricotine and Serge, several styles, some are beautifully embroidered.

ONE LOT DRESSES of Tricotine that were \$19.75, in sale at \$14.95.

LADIES' FURS

Scarfs and Muffs

This mark down comes just the time you need furs the most.

Fur Scarfs that were \$18.00

In the Sale at \$13.50

Fur Scarfs that were \$16.50

In the Sale at \$12.50

Fur Scarfs that were \$12.50

In the Sale at \$9.95

Fur Scarfs that were \$7.95

In the Sale at \$5.95

Fur Muffs that were \$14.95

In the Sale at \$11.50

Fur Muffs that were \$7.95

In the Sale at \$5.95

MANY BEAUTIFUL SKIRTS

At Greatly Reduced Prices

Beautiful quality Dress and Sport Skirts of Prunella and Worsted in pleated models, shown in a variety of rich stripes of nearly all colors.

Skirts that were \$16.50 to \$18.00

In the Sale at \$12.50

Skirts that were \$9.95

In the Sale at \$7.45

Skirts that were \$5.95

In the Sale at \$3.95

BROWN, BUCK & CO.

NORWAY,

MAINE

NORWAY LAKE

Mr. and Mrs. Will Delano of the Center were guests of Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Witt and family, Sunday.

Ronald Lapham of Lynn, Mass., was at home from Friday night until Monday afternoon.

Stella Harwood was home from Bates for the Christmas holidays.

Clarence Dunham is still unable to work, and is now suffering with an infected finger.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Glover and daughter Ada spent Christmas day with Mr. and Mrs. Claude Thomas and family at Otisfield.

Little Irene Freeman, who has been visiting her aunt, Mrs. Will Glover, went to her grandmother's in Oxford the latter part of the week.

Mrs. Mary Healy of Portland spent Christmas with her son, Henry Healy and family.

J. A. Smith from Massachusetts has been visiting his sister, Mrs. Webster Kilgore.

Mrs. R. H. Morrison and sons, Robley and John, and Mrs. Lottie Crane were guests of Mr. and Mrs. V. L. Partridge, Monday.

Mothers' Club Tree

The Mothers' Club had a Christmas tree and entertainment at their hall, Saturday evening. The hall was prettily decorated with small fir trees, green and red paper trimmings and Christmas bells.

Following is the program presented:

Singing.....Chorus

Recitation.....Marion Bennett

Recitation.....Arlene Corbett

Piano solo.....Clara Harwood

Recitation.....Winifred Dunham

Recitation.....Dorothy Bachelier

Singing.....Norway Lake School

Recitation.....Doris Ross

Piano solo.....Florence Bryant

Recitation.....Lucy Witt

Recitation.....Mrs. Grace Dunham

Recitation.....John Morrison

Recitation.....Ellen Dulles

Recitation.....Doris Kilgore

Recitation.....Robley Morrison

Piano solo.....Eldred Dulles

Piano solo.....Stella Harwood

Drill, "Christmas Bells".....Eight girls

Recitation.....Frances Doughty

Piano solo.....Doris Ross

Recitation.....Stanley Bachelier

Recitation.....School

Recitation.....Elizabeth Arden

Piano solo.....Daniel Dulles

Recitation.....Marion Proctor

Recitation.....Marion Bennett

Singing.....Graham Bachelier

Recitation.....Ralph Dunham

Chorus.....Chorus

With a merry jingling of bells, Santa Claus appeared and after his greetings were over, the presents were distributed.

Each child of the neighborhood was remembered, with a bag of popcorn and candy and a gift suitable for their years.

After the tree was cleared a little while was spent in fun and conversation and at an early hour everyone gathered up their many parcels and with happy faces wended their way home.

Friday being the anniversary of the dedication of the Mothers' Club Hall, there will be a baked bean and salad supper, also an entertainment followed by dancing.

WEST BUCKFIELD

Mrs. J. G. Richards has returned home from Hartford where she was working. Her husband is in poor health and she came home to care for him.

Doris Buck, R. N. is at home from Dixfield.

Dorothy Buck is at home from Augusta for the Christmas vacation.

Harry and Mary Hall were at home for the Christmas.

Harry has returned to Rumford.



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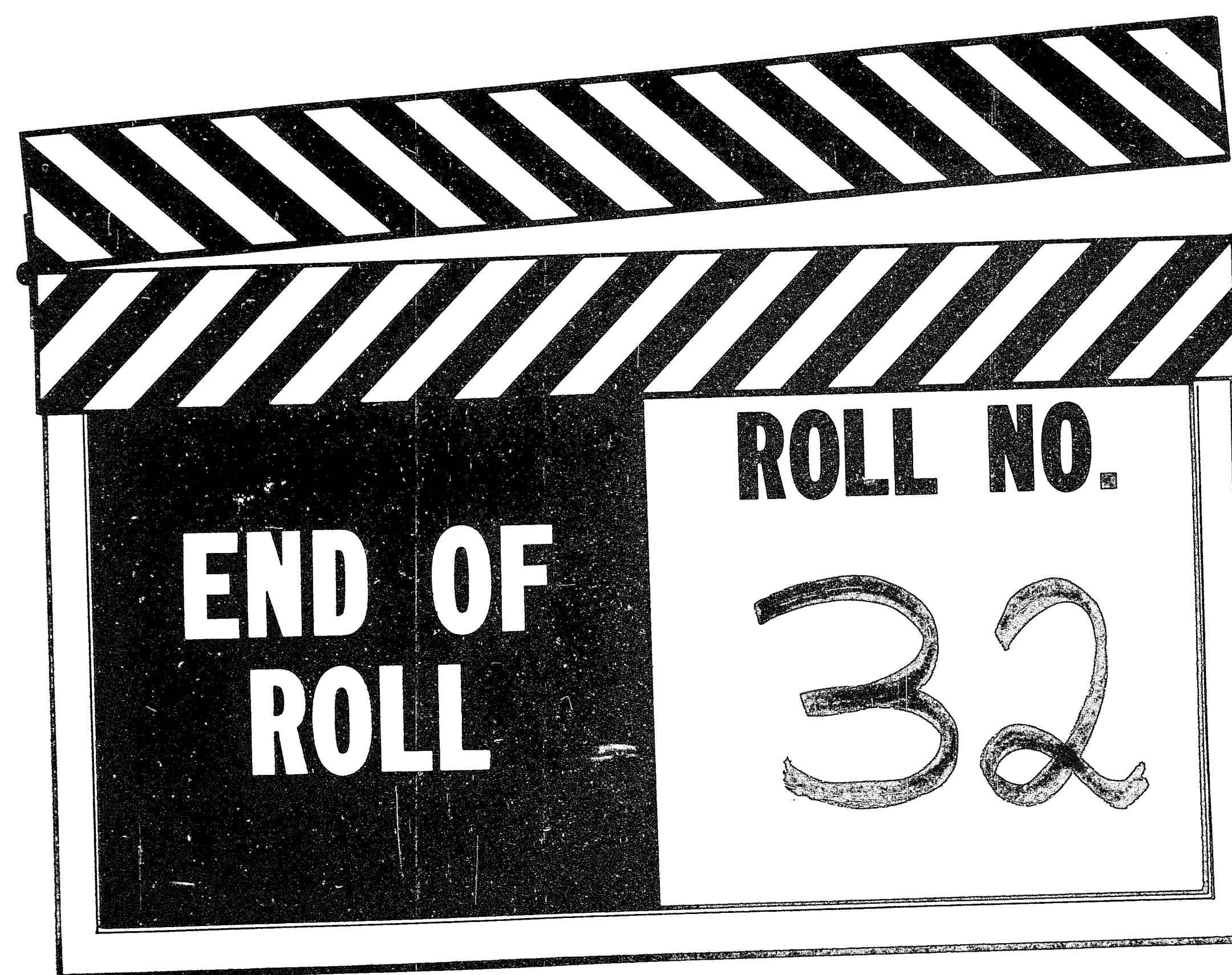
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